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NEWS ITEMS FROM JARROW

Last Friday evening, February 5, a thief ventured into the store of Mr. Wm. Boyd and stole \$85 in cash. Mr. Thos. Overbo asked Mr. Boyd to cash a personal cheque for \$60. The cheque was sent by a friend to Viking bank and cashed. As soon as the money was returned Mr. Boyd unfortunately and unusually placed the cash of \$60 with another \$25 in an old tin can under the counter. Friday night at 11 o'clock it was discovered that the can and the money had disappeared.

Not many months ago two tramps broke into the Boyd store, ruined the safe and stole the cash and cheques enclosed. We are sorry that Mr. Boyd had to be the unfortunate one.

There are few people whom we can trust, therefore it is unwise to leave money nigh unto them.

The one who has been so rude as to steal the money, the day will come when he will realize the truth of the saying, "Be sure thy sin will find thee out."

Ten of the teen-age Jarrows boys have accepted the invitation to attend the boys' conference in Viking on Saturday, the 13th.

The flu is prevalent among our farmers both north and south of Jarrows.

The mild weather is a welcome guest in our homes and we earnestly hope that the guest will continue his stay.

Mrs. Fred Pendle was surprised this week by women callers. She must be a favorite for the Jarrowsites are stay-at-home women.

The annual congregational meeting was held in the United church this week. The financial reports of the church, Ladies' Aid and Sunday school were presented. We are pleased to learn of the prosperous work of the Sunday school which means a great deal to our children and the young people. The following officers were elected on the church board: Messrs. Ray Moore, Fred Pendle and Mrs. A. Harper.

NEWS AND VIEWS FROM CAPITAL CITY

(By T. B. Windross)

Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 10.—Approval from other than government supporters is being given freely to the policy that has been followed and will continue in the department of lands and mines for the encouraging of development of the province's natural resources. Hon. N. E. Tanner stated during the week that the province will gain \$100,000 in revenue from the new B. and N. oil well of Royalties in Turner Valley each year. There will be no drilling of productive wells in the area in future only to close them down in order to protect big interests elsewhere.

When the new salt plant is running in the McMurray area another industry will be adding to the revenues of the province through royalties on production, it is learned.

Everything is hastening on toward the opening of the provincial legislature on February 25th and the various government departments are well ahead with their estimates. The only department that is likely to be delayed is the treasury. In consequence of the resignations first of Hon. C. Cockcroft and this week of J. F. Percival, deputy provincial treasurer. Mr. Percival gave no reason for his retiring from his post.

Premier Aberhart announced the appointment of Hon. Solon Low, member for Warner, to succeed Mr. Cockcroft, and the new minister has a difficult situation to face, owing to the nearness of the session. But he is young and capable and is said to be digging into his work with energy.

Rumors were current early in the week that other deputy ministers were considering resigning but so far no sign of such incidents has been seen. The prophets, however, are busy with various names said to be those of civil servants who are unsettled.

A touch of humor was injected into the Sunday evening services con-

ducted by Premier Aberhart in Calgary and Edmonton, when John Irwin, M.L.A., of Calgary, suggested in the daily press that the "professor" who burlesques as "Professor Anonymous" in the meetings might be asked to appear before the agricultural committee of the legislature during the session. "I think the members should have the advantage of hearing the professor's views," Mr. Irwin said with the usual twinkle in his eye. "I will ask that he appear so that the members may have the opportunity of questioning him."

The "professor" has been a feature of some of the Sunday services of which the premier has questioned him on the present economic system.

The annual Edmonton bonspiel opened here Monday with 100 entries and curlers from inside and outside the city are looking forward to one of the most interesting times in the history of curling in the Alberta capital.

Details of the legislation to be introduced in the session of the legislature this month are being kept a close state secret, although rumors and forecasts are plentiful in the newspapers. It is recognized and not denied, however, that further steps to ensure the establishment of the government's policies with regard to economic reform will be a feature of the measures to come before the members. The outstanding rumor is that some compulsory features are being given consideration in connection with the necessity for providing a means of circulating basic dividends before they can be issued. Government supporters state it will be foolish to issue dividends until there is some provision for their being accepted as a medium of exchange for goods purchased.

If you have a message for the people of this and adjoining districts, an advertisement in this paper will do the work for you.

United Church Notes

Owing to the prevailing sickness the annual congregational meeting has been postponed until Thursday, February 18th. Friends are reminded of the arrangements, as follows: Supper will be served at 6.30 p.m.; reports will be given following the meal, while still sitting at the tables; between the reports there will be a few entertainment numbers. All church supporters from all points on the charge are expected to be present, and all the church organizations should be well represented. Your presence will be an encouragement to the others, especially to those who are doing their best to carry on the work of the church.

Miss A. Flewelling and Miss M. Elliott, collectors for the Bible Society report that the total receipts from Irma contributors amounted to \$17.10, and on behalf of the Bible Society, they wish to thank all who gave donations.

There is to be a boys' conference at Viking on Saturday and Sunday, 13th and 14th of February. A number of boys' leaders will be coming from St. Stephen's College, Edmonton, to take charge of affairs. All phases of the boys' work program will be considered and practised. On Saturday evening there will be a supper and a skating carnival. Viking folks are very kindly arranging to entertain the visiting guests overnight. There will likely be a carload going from Irma, with Art Knudson, Chief Ranger, in charge.

The debating team representing the Irma Young People's Union, Ralph Cogdon and Albert Glasgow, were awarded the decision over their Wainwright opponents on Friday evening last. The debaters were accompanied to Wainwright by Mr. A. H. Locke, Mr. O. P. Larson and Rev. E. F. Kemp. Following the debate the visitors were entertained at luncheon by the Wainwright Union, and had a delightful social time. It is expected that the Irma team will next meet the winners of a debate between Tofield and Viking.

At the meeting of the Wainwright Presbytery held on February 2nd and 3rd, Mr. Arthur Peterson of Irma was elected as a delegate to Conference.

Out of town services are withdrawn for the present. Service in the Irma church next Sunday, February 14th, at 7.30 p.m. Come and join in the fellowship of prayer and praise.

LOUGHEED NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. J. L. Zipperer attended the U. F.W.A. convention at Calgary as a director for the Camrose constituency, after which she returned to Portland to spend the winter.

Mr. Alex MacDonnell, who has been a patient in Edmonton, returned home on Thursday night.

The Galahad Seniors won a clearly contested puck tilt here from the Lougheed seniors. The game was fast with a resulting score of 6 to 3. Scorers for Lougheed were 'Scotty' Jack, Duff Whyte and Mel McCune.

At a meeting held in the Community hall last Wednesday afternoon, L. Hutchinson, Alberta Wheat Pool Director, gave a short lecture. Mr. J. R. Adams, delegate of the Wheat Pool, gave a splendid report of the convention. A very interesting film was shown depicting the story of wheat from the time of sowing until made into bread. Many school students attended and enjoyed the picture.

Mrs. Pedlar, Arthur and Clinton arrived here Monday evening and have taken up residence in the house recently vacated by R. McCracken.

Mrs. J. R. Adams, of Melbrae, is visiting in Alix at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Smith.

Mr. F. Rogers was re-elected by acclamation on Monday. Payment of councillors for services will be the issue when the by-law to the effect is voted on in the Community hall on February 8th.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith (nee Miss J. Adams) of Alix, a son, on January 23rd.

In one of the closest elections held in Viking, J. L. Slavik was elected Councillor for a period of three years, defeating Wm. J. Brown by the vote of 46 to 44, on Monday. There was one spoiled ballot for Wm. J. Brown. The Council will meet shortly to organize for the year.

Sports of All Sorts.

Unless the "draws" at the small-town 'spels are made more convenient for visitors, the attendance is bound to suffer. The Viking rink attending the Vegreville 'spiel had six games in five days. In between times one could play Tiddle-de-winks, twiddle the thumbs, or just sit and think. With but two sheets here at Viking, interest was maintained by a "draw" that forced the play. Jack Slavik gets the credit for that. Unless other towns follow such a plan, all would prefer to go to Edmonton, where there is something to see and do all the time.

On February 15th Joe Louis meets Nattie Brown at Kansas City. As Brown is one of the six boxers who have stayed the full distance with Louis, it is bound to be of interest to see if he can repeat. In the last fight the Brown Bomber was helpless before a fast-stepper, and clever dodger. The crowd jeered him, and were not in accord with the decision of the judges.

The attendance at the Edmonton 'spiel is just 100 rinks, the largest in 15 years. Jack Slavik is there for the 18th time. Win or lose, Jack will prove an ambassador of goodwill from Viking. Among those 400 cur-

ers, there will be chaps with a lot of skill and some luck, who are bound to beat skill alone. So just give our boys your good wishes and await the results. The game of curling is enjoyable on account of its very uncertainties.

Professional hockey has proven this year to be no series of pink teas, judging by the number of broken bones, cracked skulls, and twisted joints. Some of the victims of the vicious attacks are so badly used up they may never play again. Eddie Shore and Morenz are advancing in years, and may find it difficult to renew youth. It may be their last season.

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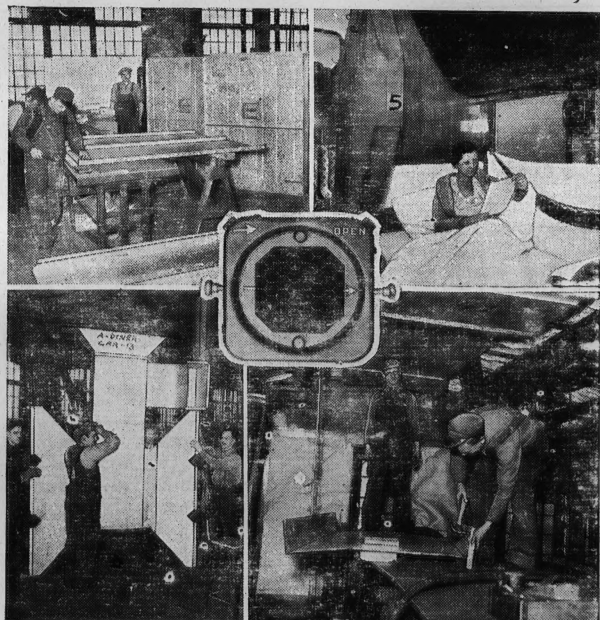
Place freed fish into platter.
Turn three-quarter cup of hot water in which fish was placed, over fish, which has been placed on platter or shallow dish. Sprinkle with teaspoon of dry mustard and half teaspoon of pepper. Chop hard-boiled eggs over fish and dot generously with butter. Serve with tomato sauce.

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Provision is made by the 1937 programme to provide air-conditioned dining cars on all trains carrying air-conditioned sleepers or parlor cars, besides additional

sleeping and parlor cars for use on trains between Montreal and Quebec, Montreal and Ottawa, Toronto and Ottawa, and trains 29 and 40 between Montreal and Saint John, N.B. Air-conditioning of tourist cars for use on the transcontinental trains between Vancouver and Montreal and Toronto is a new and interesting feature of the 1937 programme. This will supplement last year's services which allowed air-conditioned standard sleepers, compartment-lounge, bedroom and parlor cars to be used on transcontinental trains between Montreal, Toronto, and Vancouver; the Montreal-Toronto, Hamilton, Chicago services; and the night trains between Montreal and Boston. Air-

conditioned sleepers and lounge cars were also provided for the "Mountaineer" service between Chicago, St. Paul, and Vancouver. Some idea of the work connected with air-conditioning is given by the pictures above. Cars are stripped, as in lower right, and insulated to keep out heat, cold, and dust. The pictures at the left show some of the material being placed in the cars. The satisfaction written all over the face of the young lady in "Lower 5," expresses the public's feelings toward this new type of controlled comfort. In the centre is a close-up of the control equipment by which, as the arrows indicate, the individual can regulate the volume and direction of the flow of air.

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A Dictionary Word

J. C. Kirkwood, in Marketing, says "Tiffany" is a dictionary word, and it does not mean jewellery or any such thing. It means a muslin cloth. I came across this word in one of Charles Lamb's essays—written well over 100 years ago, and was greatly startled. Immediately consulted dictionaries, and, behold, the word was there.

The gnu of Africa has a head like an ox, the body and flowing tail of a horse, and the limbs of an antelope.

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Troubled with Constipation, Couldn't Sleep, "Fruit-a-lives" Brought Quick Relief

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Thou Shalt Not Love

A NOVEL BY GEORGIA CRAIG

CHAPTER XVI.—Continued

That was the only thing she had not told Michael—about Tut-Am-en-Ra's curse. She could not bring herself to that, thinking of what terror there would be in his eyes. She had told him much about herself, though, of her parentage, and mentioned that her father was an archaeologist who had taken her to Egypt with him, but that he was dead now, and she was alone.

Michael was astonished and pained. "Ellison," he mused. "The Professor Bruno Ellison? Why, he was famous, Starr, darling. He laughed exultantly. 'Wonder what Stephanie and the rest of them who are living on the glory of ancestors who accomplished things in the dim past would think if they knew you were his daughter!'"

In a way she explained how she had come to be in the La Luna that night, told of her loneliness and her yearning to see a little life, the bright lights. Michael said:

"What an idiot of a boomer I was! I should have seen it the minute I clapped eyes on you. . . . Perhaps I did, but in my stubbornness refused to see! Thank heaven all that's forgotten, Starr—I'll spend the rest of my life making up to you, if I can."

But nothing about the curse of Tut-Am-en-Ra! Nothing of the six months of life that had been given her!

Safe in the arms of a flesh and blood lover it was difficult to realize that she had ever allowed her life to be dominated by a three-thousand-year-old curse. This was Twentieth Century, America! A million people would laugh off the foolishness of Tut-Am-en-Ra as mere foolishness belonging to a forgotten age.

But then, she remembered, a million people had not seen her father and John Lessing die. They had not seen that ancient priestess, Am-Sun, whom her lover would protect even in death, crumple into dust. Feverishly Starr reasoned with herself. Trying to ascribe the deaths of the two men to natural causes. Neither of them were young—it had been a strenuous expedition—the death could easily have been due to over-exertion. . . . Trying to explain away her own physical and mental depression as due to the great natural curse of modern women—nerves.

She reiterated to herself: "I can't hurt me now. It can't! I won't let it! I'll fight it for Michael's sake!" Then startlingly came the first shadow to cut through her happiness. The death could easily have been due to over-exertion. . . . Trying to explain away her own physical and mental depression as due to the great natural curse of modern women—nerves.

She started to get up. "I can't hurt me now. It can't! I won't let it! I'll fight it for Michael's sake!" Then startlingly came the first shadow to cut through her happiness. The death could easily have been due to over-exertion. . . . Trying to explain away her own physical and mental depression as due to the great natural curse of modern women—nerves.

"PLAY-GIRL" ELOPES

MARRIED AT MIDNIGHT TO MICHAEL FAIRBOURNE, HER PUBLICITY AGENT

"Starr Ellison, New York's famous 'Play-Girl' author of the alleged autobiographical book of that name, and whose love affairs have furnished the smart set with much conversation, eloped last night with Michael Fairbourne, who acted as her publicity representative for the publishing house of Tarrance.

The elopement was on the eve of Fairbourne's proposed marriage to Stephanie Dale, member of one of New York's oldest and most distinguished families, and the two were guests at a house party being given by Miss Dale in Fairbourne's honor at her beautiful Westchester home."

A sudden chill struck Starr. In the headlines again! Both of them! She hid the paper, hastily. She did not want Michael to see it. It was too unpleasant a reminder of all they had run away from.

All in a moment grim fingers were reaching out from that other life, trying to draw her back into the hideous merry-go-round. She shuddered. This farmhouse was so filled with beautiful, vivid memories. And now. . . . Lance—Stephanie—

She had not got round to being her new cheerful self when Michael got back from the village. Just a little later he came in. He was carrying a pile of letters in his hand. He announced heavily:

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Then he laughed, slipping an arm about her shoulders as he sat down on the arm of her chair.

"Seriously, Starr, I'm afraid I'll have to cut out our stay in Paradise. I had no idea work could pile up as it has, and the old man is getting restless. There is no season of the year for extended—or unexpected—vacations. Do you think we can drag ourselves back to New York tomorrow?"

Swift alarm leaped into her dark eyes. She cried, looking up at him with tensed pleading:

"Oh, Michael, I don't want to go back! Not tomorrow, nor any other day!"

Michael bent down and kissed her. "But darling, we can't rusticate here forever. Of course it will be a bit of an ordeal for us both to face, considering the way we turned our backs on the world. But we'll face the music. Heads up, honey! Who cares? We've got each other—that's all that counts—really. I have to get back on the job and make a lot of money, you know, for you, and for our family—to-be."

It was the first time since their marriage that he had mentioned children. It affected Starr queerly, arousing disturbing recollections of other occasions when babies had been mentioned. And as much as she yearned for them, babies were among the forbidden things of her life. Which Michael did not know, of course, and must never know. She had broken one commandment—"Thou Shalt Not Love"—But there still remained—"Thou and Thy Children. And Thy Children's Children." How could she bring his children into the world—Michael's children—to be heirs to a terrible inexorable curse?

Suddenly she was overcome with a wave of her old depression. But her fear was increased a hundredfold now, because of the complication of being Michael's wife.

She felt herself drifting back. As if it were somebody else's voice, she heard herself saying dully:

"I don't want to go back. Our love here is so perfect, Michael. It won't be the same."

Michael said, with that cheerful, careless laugh of his:

"Of course it will be. I'll still throw you a kiss now and then."

All the time his eyes were laughing at her. He did not understand, of course.

Driving back to New York, they discussed their living arrangements. Starr was oddly detached, as though she had little interest in the matter, but Michael was enthusiastic about their own home-to-be.

"I imagine you'll be more comfortable among your own Lares and Penates, Starr darling," he insisted, "than in my own entirely manish bachelor domain. But we won't stay there. We'll come out of Egypt as soon as we can. No mummy-bye windows for us! We're going to have the kind we can throw open wide and look out on the world!"

He laughed then. "By Jove, I never thought of it before, but I wonder if windows like that wouldn't be just the thing to keep babies from falling out!"

Starr forced herself to smile up at him. "They use them in Egypt," he reminded, "to keep wives in. You'll not need them for me, Michael-Hasan."

Sapphira was overwhelmingly glad to see both of them, and fluttered over them like a comfortably feathered hen who had just found her lost chickens.

"Laway me, Miss Starr!" she exclaimed. "How good you do look! Wasn't I tellin' you what you needed was to get married and stop all your foolishness?"

Starr laughed back at her, but it was happily. "I imagine before we're here very long, Sapphira, that we're going to have a divorce, there are a good many who'll consider I've committed the height of my foolishness."

"We don't care, do we?" Michael asked, and Starr said into his arms. "Why should we, darling?" He kissed her.

Among the first things Starr did when she was settled in the city again was to send the diamond and fire opal bracelet back to Lance Marlowe by an armed messenger. Only the terrific monetary value of the thing had prevented her from sending it back through the mails before. But in the country it had been carefully hidden, kept out of sight. She enclosed no note with the bauble.

Weeks later she met him at an informal gathering, and he mentioned the incident of the bracelet, implying in a rather hurt tone how he had felt when he saw her wearing it—and after. Starr tried to laugh it off.

"Oh, you'll find someone else who will wear it much better than I ever could, Lance," she told him.

Lance said quietly: "My tastes must have changed, Starr, or maybe I'm getting old. I haven't been able to find anyone else yet—or wanted to."

But Lance Marlowe had not changed, as Starr discovered in the next interchange. He never would change. She flushed deeply as he added in a whisper: "My yacht is being renovated. It may not be the proper season for it, but I'm sailing soon for Hawaii, alone." He looked at her oddly, and Starr recognized that in his mind she was still "Play-Girl."

He could not reconcile any idea of "Play-Girl" being faithful, even though married. "I had hoped—" (To Be Continued)

Not A New Science

Plastic Surgery Has Developed Gradually From Early Background

The plastic surgeon's job is for the most part a grim business. People injured in accidents, by burns, and damage caused by removal of growths form the bulk of the specialist's patients.

On the surface, plastic surgery might seem to be the newest of medical techniques, but it is not, according to Dr. Fulton Risdon, one of Toronto's best known specialists. During the war, Dr. Risdon worked side by side with Sir Harold Gillies, noted English plastic surgeon, whose recent operation to restore the features of a girl horribly burned was described as a "miracle!"

"During the war we thought we had got hold of something new," said Dr. Risdon, "but later when we had time to go into the matter we found that there was an early background. The science had developed gradually."

But the war did for plastic surgery what it did for many early inventions, like the airplane. It lent an urgent need for "forced development" and brought results never before obtained. Surrounded by men mutilated by shot and shell, doctors simply had to "do something."

As a result, hundreds of men now are able to lead a normal life.

But it was several years after the war that a Dutch scientist, Dr. Esser, made the greatest single improvement in plastic surgery. "Skin grafts had a tendency to 'float up' because of accumulated blood and serum under the new skin," said Dr. Risdon, "and then Dr. Esser wrote an article describing the use of pressure on the grafted area, resulting in the new skin growing to match the surrounding skin."—Toronto Star Weekly.

New Set-Up For India

First Responsible Government Is Soon To Be Elected

Thirty million electors—of whom more than 5,000,000 are women—will shortly vote in British India on the first stage of responsible government. It's a form of responsible government rigorously bound about by limiting safeguards, but it's a beginning.

It's the beginning of the great scheme to create a United States of India.

The Government of India Act of 1935 contemplated creation of a federated India including the provinces of British India and those native states which twelvewildly dovetail into the provinces of British India, states not actually British territory, who subjects are not British, yet lying across main arteries of communication, vital to the welfare of India as a whole.

The section of the act granting autonomous government to the provinces of British India does not need to wait for the wider federal scheme. It comes into force April 1. Under it, legislative assemblies will be elected in 11 provinces of British India. Legislative councils or upper houses will, in addition, be chosen in Madras, Bombay, Bengal and United Provinces, Bihar and Assam.

A True Westerner

First White Child Born In Battleford Dies In Winnipeg Hospital

Roderick W. McKinnon, 52, chief engineer of the reclamation branch of the Manitoba department of public works, died recently in a Winnipeg hospital. He had undergone an operation.

Born in Battleford, then in the Northwest Territories, in 1884, the son of a Hudson's Bay Company factor, he was the first white child born in that north Saskatchewan city. Both his parents died a year after he was born, and Mr. McKinnon was taken to relatives in Sydney, N.S. He graduated in engineering from Dalhousie University.

Coming to the west in 1907, he joined the staff of the Canadian Northern Railways in Alberta, entering the Manitoba government service in 1912. A widow survives.

Found Fishing Profitable

Australian Pulled In Valuable Ornaments Which Had Been Stolen

Harvey Bachelor dropped his bent-pin fish-hook into the waters of Darebin Creek, Northcote, Australia, and waited for a fish to bite.

He felt a tug at his lips and pulled in a silver ornament.

He tried again and pulled in another glittering piece.

Finally he took his catch—valued at \$800—to police where the articles were identified as loot from a Synagogue burglary.

Harvey was suitably rewarded by members of the community.

Operates Motorless Plane

Italian Travels Some Distance Under His Own Power

Vittorio Bonomi, Milan, Italy, laid claim to a successful "human flight" after reporting he had travelled five-eighths of a mile in a monoplane operated by his feet and legs. The ship was designed by Enos Bossi.

The artist, Leonardo da Vinci spent years in vain attempts to perfect such a device.

The cabin plane was operated by two propellers which received their power from a type of bicycle mechanism worked by the flier's feet. Bonomi declared the power was "stepped up" by an arrangement of cogs and shafts.

Shipping Complete Factory

A complete sugar factory, to grind 1,000 tons of cane a day, is being made by a Glasgow firm. It will be shipped to Hyderabad, where the Nizam's government has decided to establish a sugar industry.

The word electricity comes from the fact that amber, when stroked, attracts small objects, such as a needle. "Elektron" was the Greek name for amber.

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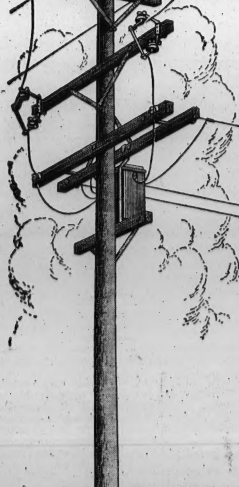
(From the Viking News)
The boys of Viking and neighboring towns will be given a great treat this week-end. The cities have usually the advantage over the smaller places in such matters, but here we are to have an outstanding conference for boys right in our midst. No

boy should miss it. The program is planned chiefly for boys from 12 to 18 or 20. It begins at 1.30 Saturday and continues till after the evening service on Sunday. Boys from other towns remaining over Saturday evening will be entertained in the Viking homes. Boys from the country are especially urged to come. There is no cost, except 25c for the banquet and 15c for the Carnival.

Hon. W. N. Chant, minister of agriculture, appealed to Hon. J. G. Gardiner, federal minister, Saturday to remove the restrictions on freight on shipments of feed to the drought areas of southern Alberta. Reports of serious stock losses among horses and cattle owing to feed shortage and extremely cold weather are stressed as the reason for this action.

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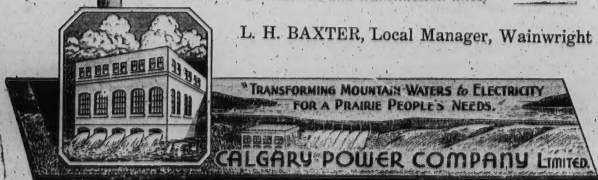
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Main Street

Frank Weise left Friday for Winnipeg with a carload of horses.

Mrs. Locke is expected home from Edmonton the last of the week.

The Irma and Wainwright hockey teams played a tie game, 3-3, in Wainwright last Monday evening.

The Irma public school board are making arrangements to have electric lights installed in the classrooms.

The public school remained closed this week owing to the prevalence of measles among the children of the district.

Messrs. Lawrence N. A. S. H. Wm. Walker and Robt. Dawson attended the school trustees' convention in Edmonton last week as delegates.

Mr. Fred Hill went to Edmonton last Tuesday evening to see his mother, Mrs. C. T. Hill, who was reported as not being as well as usual.

Mr. A. C. Charter, one of the Irma milkmen, has been confined to his home for some time with an attack of the flu but is gradually recovering.

Owing to lack of space this week, due to extra advertising matter, we are unable to leave over until next week a couple of contributions from local writers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holt and Mr. O. Enger Sr. motored to Shontz on Wednesday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. Enger and daughter, Dorothy. Mr. Enger is the relief pumpman at Shontz.

Mr. A. E. Peterson, delegate to the school trustees' convention at Edmonton last week, gave his report at the meeting of the board last Monday evening. Mr. Peterson reported an attendance of about 700 delegates.

The February meeting of the Irma W.M.S. will be held Thursday afternoon, February 18th, at the home of Mrs. Arnold. Hostesses: Mrs. Locke and Mrs. McKay. All members and friends are cordially invited to this meeting.

The postponed meeting of the Alma Mater and Roseberry Ladies' Aid will be held at Mrs. Odham's on Thursday, February 18th. Devotionals will be taken by Mrs. O. Enger Jr. Hostesses are Mrs. McCartney and Mrs. Elliott. All members and friends are very cordially invited.

The LETTER BOX

Congratulations Gas Line League
Irma, Alta., Feb. 5, 1937.

Dear Sir:

At the recent meeting of the Wainwright Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, with delegates present from the churches in the towns along this line, it was noted with satisfaction that the teams of the Gas Line Hockey League were not playing league games on Sunday; and I was directed to convey to you our appreciation of the stand you have taken in this matter, and to wish you every success in your efforts to promote this healthy, sport, and we hope that your games will be well patronized by the residents of the community in which they are played.

With every good wish.

Yours sincerely,
E. F. KEMP,
Secretary.

ALBERT DISTRICT NEWS

At the annual school meeting held in Albert school house last Saturday, C. L. Currie was re-elected trustee.

Ten tables of court whist played at the card party held in the school Friday evening. Mrs. Ramsey Jr. and C. Bjork were the prize winners. Colie rarely attends more than one card party a year and invariably captures the prize on that occasion.

Allan Hardy celebrated his 21st birthday last Saturday, said celebration being in the form of a turkey dinner at which he was nobly assisted by Mr. and Mrs. I. Currie and family and the other members of the Hardy household.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Currie and family were guests of Mrs. Lukens Sr. on Saturday evening.

Claude Ramsay has returned from Mannville hospital convalescent from a broken limb.

The Women's Institute

Lord and Lady Tweedsmuir have very kindly presented to the W. I. organization a number of books. These are divided among the several branches. Mrs. J. Fletcher is the librarian of the Irma branch. Anyone wishing to take advantage of this can apply to her.

The Women's Institute are putting on a St. Patrick's tea at the home of Mrs. J. Fletcher on Friday, March 19th. There will be a sale of home cooking and candy.

Mrs. C. Wilbraham, Sec'y.

KINSELLA KERNELS

Miss Ella Cornack of Edmonton is visiting with her parents and friends.

Miss Edith Watson of Irma spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. E. C. Williams and Mr. R. Witten were prize winners at the W. I. Whist Drive last Saturday night.

Mr. L. Witten spent the week-end in Edmonton.

The W. I. are holding a Valentine's dance on Saturday, February 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wangness spent a few days in Edmonton last week.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our darling son and brother, Keith Carter, who passed away February 13th, 1936.

The depths of sorrow we cannot tell. Of the loss of one we loved so well. And while he sleeps a peaceful sleep. His memory we shall always keep.

—Ever remembered and loved by
Mother, Daddy and Brothers.

NOTICE

M. D. Battle River No. 423.

NOTICE OF MEETING

TAKE NOTICE that a meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423, will be held at one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1937, at Kiefer's Hall, Irma, for the discussion of municipal affairs, and that at the same place and on the same day, the Returning Officer will receive nominations of candidates for the office of Councillor, from 3 o'clock p.m. to 4 o'clock p.m., and Hospital Trustee Wainwright Municipal Hospital.

—Chas. Wilbraham, Sec'y-Treas.

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Plan Ahead

by JANE DEE

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Perhaps you have started already and are wondering what is going to be smart? What the new suits are like? What the most popular fabrics for coats and dresses are? If prints are good as ever? What the leading colors are, and if the hats are worn forward or back off the face?

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